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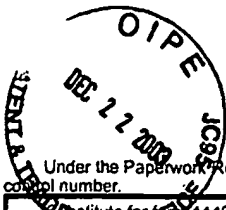
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AA	A11	OVERSTREET inventor for AB-379U; U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/698,098; filed October 31, 2003; entitled "Method and System for Generating a Cochlear Implant Program Using Multi-Electrode Stimulation to Elicit the Electrically-Evoked Compound Action Potential".	

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